

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: Shigetaka YOSHIKAWA, *et al.* Confirmation No. 3140
Application No: 10/811,984
Filed: March 30, 2004
For: MOUNTING STRUCTURE AND METHOD FOR
 HEAT ACCUMULATION TANK
Group Art Unit: 3632
Examiner: Kimberly T. WOOD

RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Election/Restriction Requirement dated May 13, 2009, the Applicant hereby elects without traverse Group I, claims 1-3, 5-7, 9 and 10, drawn to mounting structure, classified in class 165, subclass 67.

Should there be any questions concerning this matter, the Examiner is invited to contact the Applicant's undersigned attorney.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees or credit any overpayment to the deposit account of Kenyon & Kenyon LLP, Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

Respectfully submitted,

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